



To submit material for *Helmut* send email to [Helmut@boskone.org](mailto:Helmut@boskone.org)

OR drop off a legibly written note at the Office in the Galleria. Deadlines for submission are:

Deadlines for getting info to *Helmut* are:  
Saturday pm 5pm  
Sunday 10am

If you are running a party Saturday or Sunday, let us know group, time, place and we'll put it in *Helmut*.

**URSULA K. LE GUIN MEMORY BOOK**  
Contribute to the Ursula K. Le Guin Memory Book. It's in Galleria Maker Space (the corner of the Galleria up the small flight of stairs by the exterior door) until 6pm on Sunday. Write a message or create some art in memory of Ursula K. Le Guin. The memory book will be shared with Le Guin's family after Boskone. If you want you can leave a remembrance, on the Boskone Facebook page today and we'll print it off and include it.

#### **FREE BOOKS FREE**

Due to the generosity of members, Boskone this year is giving away an unusually large number of books, both SF and non-fiction. The books are laid out on both sides of the escalators in the Galleria escalator lobby; they will not be going back to the NESFA clubhouse, so please look on both sides and take whatever interests you.

#### **CHOCOLATE TRIVIA SCORES**

Bob Devney	52
Dan Dern	44
Tim Liebe	27
Peter Turi	23

#### **XENOLINGUISTIC TRANSLATION HELP NEEDED**

Friday evening the formerly bare panels along the far left side of the Consuite were suddenly filled with light. It might appear to be a freeform sculpture, but a Boskone member immediately suggested it might perhaps instead be a message from an unknown alien species.

What do you think? If it's a message, what alien language is it in and what does it say? Please send your translation to [helmut@boskone.org](mailto:helmut@boskone.org) or leave it in the *Helmut* submission box at the Info/Volunteers desk in the Galleria. Thanks!-- Geri Sullivan

#### **ACCESS AT BOSKONE**

We have an Access area as part of Information and Volunteers this year. We added Access information to the Website (<http://www.boskone.org/about/access/>) and have been working to make it easier for everyone to enjoy Boskone.

We have reserved a few seats in the front row of each panel for people who have

limited hearing or vision, and have taped out areas in each function room for mobies and wheelchairs. Many function rooms also have extra open space in the back.

We have checked areas and adjusted tables and chairs to ensure people using mobies can more easily get through. If anyone notices any spots that are difficult to navigate or identifies other issues that Access should be aware of, please drop an E-mail to [access@boskone.org](mailto:access@boskone.org) or stop by the Information/Volunteers/Access table in the Galleria.

#### **FOUND AT BOSKONE—PRE-CON**

Three different people have found small glass marbles on the floor of the Galleria. Also found were two shiny cents. If you find any more marbles or anything interesting on the floor at Boskone, please let *Helmut* know so we can update this report.

#### **FANAC News**

Fanac.org has now reached over 50,000 pages of fan material, including fanzines and photos online. We have over 2500 issues of fannish newszines. Our Youtube channel has 55 pieces up, 229 subscribers and over 35,000 views. We thought you should know. Send more (digital) Fan History stuff.

#### **PROGRAM CHANGES**

##### **The following people have dropped from Program:**

Steve Berman

Debra Doyle

James D. Macdonald

Teresa Nielsen Hayden

Patrick Nielsen Hayden

Karl Schroeder

Fran Wilde

Frank Wu

Brianna Wu

#### **Meet Up: Emerson College Popular Fiction**

#### **Harbor I - Discussion Group**

Saturday 02:00 PM

Join the Emerson College popular fiction meet up for a casual discussion about writing, MFAs, and popular fiction.

Jessica Treadway

#### **Dublin 2019 Late Night Meet Up**

Galleria - Meetup Spot Saturday 10:30 PM

Join the Dublin 2019 Worldcon team for a meet up in the Galleria for some Irish snacks and music.

Vincent Docherty Erin Underwood Jackie Kamlot Ginjer Buchanan John R. Douglas

#### **Generation Ships**

Dropped participant: Jeffrey A. Carver

#### **SATURDAY ITEM CHANGES**

##### **Reading by Geary Gravel**

Now begins at 1:00 pm in Independence. (Change from Sunday at 12:00 noon.)

#### **SUNDAY ITEM CHANGES**

##### **A Wizard of Earthsea**

2018-02-17 - 12:00 Harbor II

Now begins at 12:00 noon in Harbor II. (Change from 12:00 noon in Harbor III)

New participant: Jeff Carroll

##### **Stories for Themed Anthologies**

Now begins at 12:00 noon in Griffin. (Change from 12:00 noon in Harbor III).

##### **Reading by Tamora Pierce**

Now begins at 12:00 noon in Harbor III. (Change from 12:30pm in Griffin.)

#### **REGISTRATION as of 10.53am SATURDAY**

5 Void

1012 Warm bodies

343 No-shows

1360 Members

1135 Preregistered

220 At-the-door